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Invention: SLEEVE RECEIVING ELEMENT FOR THE COUPLING OF AN OPTICAL
PLUG-TYPE CONNECTOR

Transmitted herewith is an Amendment in the above-identified application.

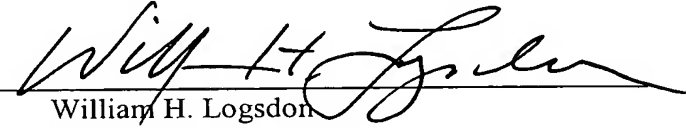
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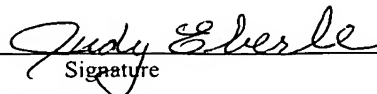
In response to the Communication of January 18, 2007, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

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